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SIN YEN CAPTURED

Cossacks Forced to Abandon the Town

BY JAPANESE FLANK MOVEMENT

Russian Reinforcement Trains Cross the Urals

Fusan, Corea, June 10th.—The first Japanese army has recently been engaged in most important operations. For two days past four columns have been reconnoitring the roads towards Liao Yang, Cheng, Sulmitza and Su Yen and have occupied towns on these roads, dislodging the Russians numbering several hundred from each. Actualities were 65 men killed or wounded or sharp fighting. The Japanese ceased.

Rome, June 10th.—A cable service despatch from Chefoo says General Stoesel, commanding at Port Arthur, has issued a last appeal to the garrison exhorting them to show the world how Russians can defend the honor of their Czar and country.

Liao Yang, June 10th.—The Russian force at Salmatze was commanded by General Elshoff who engaged the Japanese advance at Nineam on June 7th. The Russian infantry advanced steadily, pushing the Japanese from their positions, but their attack gradually developed strength, and the Russians, finding themselves in the presence of overwhelming forces, retired in good order. Their losses were three officers and about one hundred men killed or wounded. Russian observers think the Japanese lost more. The fighting continued until 3 p.m. The Japanese are reported as attempting a debarcation north of Sen Yu Chen, from transports protected by warships.

St. Petersburg, June 11th.—The Emperor has received from General Kuropatkin the following telegram:

On June 7th the Japanese continued slowly their march toward Sin Yen by the Takushan and Feng Wang Cheng roads. Their advance guard had not approached nearer than five miles southeast of Sin Yen. On the morning of June 8th the Japanese infantry and five squadrons of cavalry were opposite Sin Yen. About 11 o'clock the Japanese appeared before the town on the south side but were checked by successful fire from our batteries. The Japanese infantry then began advancing against the town from the east by the Feng Wang Cheng road and came in contact with the Cossacks holding the pass. After two hours fighting the Cossacks retired and our artillery opened fire along the pass. At this moment the Japanese mountain battery approached and took a position to the south but were after a few rounds silenced by our battery. In the course of the fighting a flanking movement which was being made by several battalions of Japanese infantry was observed northeast of Sin Yen, threatening our line of retreat. Consequently our Cossacks gradually withdrew five miles from Sin Yen keeping up their fire from the battery on a dense column of the enemy at a range of 600 yards. The fire slackened about five in the afternoon. Among our losses were Cheremidueff, Chief of the Cossacks, Cornet Komarouski and Lieut.-Col. Possokoff, of the Cossacks, who were engaged with the troops of the tenth division.

General Kuropatkin's reinforcements are being pushed eastward. The first division of 20,000 men of the Tenth Army Corps has crossed the Ural mountains and following them is a continuous stream of troop trains.

OATS FOR BATTLEFRONT

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The Fight at the Yalu

The New York Herald publishes the following description of the terrific bombardment of the Russian positions on the Yalu on April 30th and the subsequent storming of the heights by the Japanese infantry. Of the terrible effects of the bombardment the correspondent says:

The moment the Russian guns began to bark the Japanese guns were turned on them and a perfect hail of shrapnel was poured over the battery position. Several batteries were engaged in the work, and the fire was terrible. The air seemed filled with shells and their rush was like the roar of a strong wind through a forest of pines. Before the first shell from a gun had found its mark, the second was on its way. It seemed that nothing could live under such a fire, and its accuracy was as deadly as its rapidity.

The practice of the Japanese gunners was a revelation. Men who have been through many campaigns were amazed at it and declared that never had they seen anything like it. How many guns were engaged we could not estimate and the Japanese would not tell, but there were certainly several batteries and it took but a short time to convince the Russian gunners in their battery, back of the Ai river, that it would be well for them to seek cover. Rather than to try to continue firing at a mark they could not reach, their fire died away, and presently ceased altogether.

But how they took it up further along the line. It seemed to be in their minds that the Japanese were about to endeavor to force a crossing from Kintaito Island. There was only a small force of Japanese on the island but some of them were moving about and could be seen quite plainly from where we were, and, of course, from the Russian position.

The guns on the conical rock and in the batteries near it opened on Kintaito and for a few minutes delivered a terrific fire. The shells struck all over the island. Every ruined hut, every clump of willows, and every heap of sand, and anything that looked as if it might afford the slightest cover for any Japanese, received a hail of fire. There was an urgency in it that was desperate. It was as if the Russians thought their one remaining chance was in the shelling of Kintaito.

But if they did they reckoned without due consideration of the strength of the artillery of the Japanese. When the guns from the southern bank of the Yalu began to reply to the Russian fire the earth shook with the concussion. The fire had been fierce before, but now it was more than doubled.

There seemed to be no limit to the speed with which the Japanese could handle their guns. All along the line of Russian hills the shells were bursting, and now the howitzers joined their barking to the awful din of the field guns and the spots of black smoke rising from the places where they struck showed where the common shell was going. The war gongs were sounding on both sides of the Yalu and the roar rose over the valley with the roll and shock of thunder. For an hour it continued with undiminished energy and through it all the men on the hills on the northern side hurried along towards their goal above the Russian position.

No force could withstand for long such a pounding as the Japanese were giving their enemy. The Russians had been firing rapidly, but the Japanese shells vastly outnumbered theirs. That was not all; the Russian practice was fairly good, but that of the Japanese was immensely better. The accuracy of the gunners on the Korean side was awful. Above one spot on the conical rock, where the Russians were trying to work their guns, I counted 10 puffs of white smoke, showing that ten shrapnel had burst almost simultaneously. Every one had found its mark.

Not the stoutest heart can make human flesh and blood stand that. No finer bravery can be shown than that exhibited by the Russian defenders of the position, but bravery alone would not suffice.

Now the failure to do the preliminary work revealed itself. The Russians had not prepared themselves for any such struggle. And strive as the bravest might they were doomed to defeat. Their fire slackened and died away. The Japanese were masters and they recognized it—masters in number of guns, masters in the rapidity of fire and masters in its accuracy.

As the Russians ceased to fire the Japanese guns slowed down and soon stopped altogether. By noon the valley had ceased to rock and roar with the noise of contest, and lay again peaceful and smiling in the sunlight. The men coming down the hills on the Manchurian side stayed their hurrying feet and sat down to rest and eat the rice from the little bas-

kets they carried on their backs. It was as quiet as if there had never been a thought of war.

There was not long to rest. The Russians were not disposed to give up easily. Half or three-quarters of an hour they waited. Then the guns began again. Still they sought their old work. The men on the hills above them were left to advance as they pleased, while Kintaito and the batteries along the shore immediately above and below Wija received a new scourge of shells.

But these batteries were none the less ready than they had been in the morning and soon the angry clamor of the guns was as loud and fierce as ever. The Japanese shells searched every corner of the Russian position and the shrapnel fell along the Muscovitz line in a hail of lead and steel.

Most terrible of all was the fire delivered upon the devoted conical rock. That was the centre upon which most of the Japanese gunners expended their energy. This time it was covered with shrapnel and the big howitzers beat its crest with their common shell.

At last the Russians gave up the effort to work their guns there and the horses were brought up to take them away. It was all plainly to be seen from the Japanese side and the guns seemed inspired by new activity. Their roar voiced an implacable hatred as they strove to defeat the Russian intentions.

Now began a wonderful and deadly game. The howitzers played along the crest of the rock with their common shell and the field guns filled the air above it with shrapnel. A haze of smoke from the bursting shells hovered above the rock, and through this haze could be seen Russians struggling to get their guns away. For fifty yards or more they had to go in plain sight, and many a brave fellow met his death in the gallant effort.

No more terrible fire was ever delivered by any guns, than the Japanese poured upon that spot. Men and horses were seen to fall, and then a common shell struck the timber of one of the guns, and the flash and roar which followed showed plainly what had happened.

The attempt to save the guns was over and the battery was lost.

Next day when the victorious Japanese climbed on the conical rock and along the trench that led from it they found the ruins of the guns. In their defeat the Russians had saved what they could and had not neglected to destroy or throw away the breech locks.

The destruction of this battery was the last burst of the angry artillery duel. When it was over the fire soon ceased, save that now and then a shell somewhere barked a horse warning. The line of men on the Manchurian hills had crawled down to a position immediately above the Ai river, and when increasing darkness shut out further sight of what was going on it was all too evident that the Russian defence of the Yalu was defeated.

Of the infantry attack and the storming of the heights, the correspondent gives the following vivid description:

Soon after seven o'clock the two lines of the Guards and the second division joined, and then the whole line swung in a direction toward the Ai river. It was not long in coming within range of the rifles of the Russians in the trenches along the hills, and the roll of small arms announced the opening of the infantry action.

The fight for the Yalu was on at last in desperate earnest. Down went the Japanese advance flat on the sand and the crash of volleys was added to the roar of guns, which all the time kept playing on the Russians. The field guns of the Guards division and some of the guns of the twelfth division had been put into position on the strip of low ground that connects Tiger Hill with the mainland, and while the guns on Kintaito and Chin-Ping islands hammered the Russian position from the front, these guns raked the hills from the flank, scattering their shrapnel along every edge and gully and searching every spot which might offer cover to a Russian rifleman.

The big howitzers down on the sand of Chin-Ping roared and belloved and dropped their shells along the Russian position with terrible precision. All the guns were firing directly over the heads of their own men, but every shell went through to its mark with unerring accuracy. With a confidence that amounted almost to a certainty the guns kept pounding the Russians, while the infantry poured in a terrific fire.

But the Russians were showing some of their old fighting. Their courage was no less than that of their antagonists and pound them as they would the Japanese could not break their fire, and now the children of the war gave an exhibition of extraordinary gallantry.

In describing the position of the

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The district deputies appointed for the year are:

T. H. Webb, No. 1, Winnipeg.
E. H. Haslam, No. 2, Corberry.
E. Bagg, No. 3, Holland.
T. Greenway, No. 4, Crystal City.
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J. C. Kennis, No. 10, Maple Creek.
J. C. Miller, No. 11, Dawson City.
J. J. Dunlop, No. 12, Edmonton.
The lodge meets next year in Winnipeg.

The reports of the retiring Grand Master and of the District Deputy Masters showed that the order is in a most flourishing condition in the West, a total of 463 members having been added during the year.

BANQUET LAST NIGHT

The members of the Ancient, Free and Accepted Scottish Rite held a banquet in Hall's cafe last night, about forty being present. After the luncheon had been disposed of, an instrumental concert was rendered. Messrs. Bagg and Day contributed solos, Messrs. Baker and Thornton of Winnipeg gave much appreciated recitations and addresses were delivered by Judge Myers, Mr. J. Scroggie, and Mr. Thos. Tweed. The visiting gentlemen returned in very warm terms to the hearty reception and generous hospitality they had received in Edmonton.

STRATHCONA CIVIC AFFAIRS

At the meeting of the Strathcona town council on Tuesday evening it was decided to present a by-law to the ratepayers authorizing the raising of \$5,000 for a bonus to the Strauss Piano Co.

The Natural Gas Co. were granted an extension of three months to be in being for gas.
A by-law providing for paving \$20,000 for electric light extension was read a first time.

OPERA NEXT WEEK

Edmonton will have the pleasure of witnessing what is said to be one of the greatest musical farce comedy successes on the road during the coming week. Maloney's Wedding will be the attraction at the Opera House on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, June 13 and 14. Prominent members of the organization are Allen Brown, Robt. W. Baker, Arthur Cyril, Chas. E. Royal, George Allen, Thomas Benck, Julia Walcott, Edna Keenley, Genevieve Howard and Maude E. Hays. F. J. Bailey, representing the attraction, was in this city yesterday. Reserved seats are now on sale at Archibald's drug store.

SUPREME COURT

The case of Allan vs. Worth came up yesterday being a suit on an L. S. U. Judgment was given for \$100. A counter claim was dismissed. F. C. Jamieson for the plaintiff, J. R. Boyle for the defendant.

The argument in the case of Watts vs. Heisterlofer was concluded and judgment reserved.

The case of the Great West Co. vs. Vark, an action on a promissory note, was begun yesterday and is being continued this morning. Mr. Kewell appears for the plaintiff and Mr. Barker for the defendant.

The court will probably continue to sit during the balance of the month. The cases on the docket fixed for certain days on Tuesday, will occupy the attention of the court on the 28th of the month.

Fight For Wetaskwin

The ratepayers of Wetaskwin are almost unanimous in favor of municipal ownership of every enterprise. On Saturday last a vote was taken on a proposition to borrow \$25,000 by debenture to install a municipal electric light plant. A large number of the largest and most influential ratepayers exercised their franchise and were heartily in favor of the proposition, as the vote shows, standing 99 for and only 8 against. This unanimity has greatly encouraged our town fathers and they have already taken steps to install the very best plant available. The fight is now assured in a few weeks.

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THE BASE LINE

Mr. J. C. Calhoun of Calhoun & Ferguson, returned on Thursday from Beaver Lake. He left here on Wednesday, travelling both ways by the base line road. This road has been repaired during the spring and is now one of the best roads in the country. The trip to the lake was made in seven hours and the return trip in half an hour longer. Mr. Calhoun states that an average team should be able to take 2500 over the road now without difficulty.

During the spring two outfits of men have been working on the road under the direction of M. McCauley and R. Logan. The road has been cleared of stumps and graded. Large dry timbers were put in the low places, these covered with brush and earth piled on top, making a substantial crossing. The mile on the road has been cut down and graded to make a comparatively level road way. The road allowance has been followed for the greater part of the distance, though a few diversions were necessary to avoid sloughs and holes which required too much filling. The worst place of the road is about sixteen miles east of town and Mr. Geo. Clapp has received instructions to have this repaired at once. When this is done the road all the way from town to the lake will be in good condition and will doubtless be found a great convenience to farmers residing in that part of the country.

The Russian Side

The Russian ministry of war has received a despatch from Lieut.-Gen. Zilansky, chief of staff to Gen. Kuratkin, dated June 3rd, in which he summarizes a written account by Gen. Stoessel of events preceding the battle of Kin Chou from the Russian standpoint. "The situation May 21," says Gen. Zilansky, "it appears to me that the Japanese army had arrived before Mount Sampson, but had not begun the attack on the town of Kin Chou, which was occupied by our troops. The enemy had occupied Hent peninsula and had sent large numbers to Khumma bay. These, however, had been obliged to retire owing to the fire of our artillery. Our troops occupied positions on the southern shore of Khumma bay at Taiten Wan, at Nan Kuen Ling station, at Daisy, and on all the bays.

The enemy's squadron blockaded the entire coast and fired heavily, sometimes upon one bay, sometimes upon another, there was a heavy bombardment of Port Arthur the night of May 18th, in which one soldier was killed and four wounded. The Japanese attempted a landing at Korr bay, but were repulsed May 14th, losing one cruiser, which sank. Japanese columns began the advance southward on May 15th by two routes, marching from San Shih'alo north of Kin Chou and Kotsialin. Moving as they did in close order, they suffered severely from our artillery. The Kotsialin column also came under our infantry fire, which inflicted heavy losses. As the enemy's advance developed we perceived that they had six batteries of artillery and 24 battalions. In view of the enemy's superiority our detachments began to retire. Gen. Stoessel speaks in the highest praise of the officers and men participating. The force was composed of Cossacks and Chasseurs, who occupied the heights north of Kin Chou the morning of May 17 and isolated bodies of the enemy began to appear on the mountains. May 18 two companies of Japanese infantry attacked 100 of our Cossacks on the western slope of Mount Sampson, but were repulsed. Our intelligence showed that the whole Japanese army north of San Shih'alo was composed of 39,000 infantry and 1,500 cavalry. Our losses between May 5-21 were 10 officers and 175 men. The Russo-Japanese word and phrase books found upon Japanese prisoners showed that these troops had evidently been destined for operations against Port Arthur as the books were specially adapted to use in and about Port Arthur and Daisy."

Russia and the Jews

The London Times has the following from its correspondent in Russia: In consequence of the transfer of all of the money that the Russian government can lay hands on to the war chest, the government will find itself compelled to stop work on the various railways now in course of construction and postpone the starting of new lines finally decided upon. This will not only result in grave economic and even political calamities, and the dismissal of many thousands of laborers is likely to lead to a serious outbreak of violence.

In the face of these alarming prospects, M. Plehve, according to good authority, is endeavoring to raise a new loan. The European market has been approached by a number of Jewish bankers of Russia, who, however, declined to move in the matter until M. Plehve made certain concessions in favor of the Jews in Russia. Pressed by the bankers, M. Plehve issued a secret circular to all provincial governments, enjoining them to refrain from embarrassing the Jews, even when found a tide of areas allotted to them for residence. Further, M. Plehve was induced to take a step toward the withdrawal of the decree forbidding Jews to reside within fifty versts of the Western frontier.

The opinion of the disinterested elements of Russia, as far as I have ascertained, is by no means in favor of this scheme. They consider M. Plehve's power the most pressing evil in Russia. The Russian opposition, and for that matter, nearly the whole Russian public, find little to commend in any measure calculated to relieve him from the precarious position which he has largely brought upon himself. Besides, they have had too much experience to pin faith to any promise M. Plehve may make. They anticipate he would easily waive aside the fulfillment of this promise under some pretext or other, according to the pressures of circumstances. At the best the reforms will be but temporary, and at all events it is highly problematical what the Berlin bankers expect to gain by obtaining this condition, which would be more than counterbalanced by the strength they would add to M. Plehve's position by finding for him the money he so badly wants.

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Western Railway Construction

Winnipeg Tribune: The C. P. R. expects to open up its branch now building from Arcola to Regina, by Sept. 1st, and have it in full operation to carry the fall wheat crop. John Sullivan, chief of the construction department, who has just returned from his first inspection trip in the west since work has been well under way, made the above announcement this morning. Another important announcement is that the Pleasant Hills branch is projected for a total length of 190 miles as far as the south end of Last Mountain, to be graded this year. In improving the grade on the Swift Current section, 65 miles of new grade will be constructed. The 25 miles of new lines to be built from both Lacombe and Wetaskiwin, situated on the Calgary and Edmonton branch, have already been announced. The company in British Columbia is making a diversion on the main line at Clanwilliam, ten miles from Revelstoke, to avoid some snow sheds in the mountains.

Mr. Sullivan gave the following interview on his trip: "We went from Kirkella west on the Pleasant Hills branch to the end of the track, which now extends for a distance of 124 miles, that is, as far as Belcarres. We drove from there about 60 miles to the south end of Last Mountain, the point to which we have planned to grade this year. There are now 150 teams engaged in the work along this line. The grading was completed as far as Lipton this year."

"On the Arcola-Regina branch we have about 65 miles of track laid now, though all the grading is finished over the whole length of the branch, 113 miles. Parties are now at work on the new Wetaskiwin branch, running east from the Calgary and Edmonton line. We are also completing the grading reduction work on the Swift Current section, between Swift Current and Moose Jaw. The grade will be four-tenths. Of the 112 miles on this section, 65 miles this year will be new grade. The diversion at Clanwilliam will be the main work in British Columbia this year."

The settlement of the country to be served by the new lines has been astonishing. Speaking of the rush onto these lands, Mr. Sullivan said: "Between Belcarres and the south end of Last Mountain the settlement has been wonderful. Where two years ago there was scarcely a settler, there are now very few government sections of land that have not a shack on it. I understand a great many of the people are going in there to buy land from the corporations. We met on our trip through this portion of the country, Germans, English, Hungarians and to the west a few Americans."

Crops are looking well, Mr. Sullivan stated. In all the country between Belcarres and Last Mountain.

Depends on the West

Toronto Star:

That the opening up, settlement and development of the Canadian West will give Toronto the opportunity of becoming one of the great cities of the American continent, is now recognized by most people. That there are difficulties that must be overcome, problems that must be solved, dangers that must be avoided, before any such happy consummation can be reached, must also be recognized in order to secure a sane prospect. "There's a divinity that shapes our ends, rough-hew them how we will," is a comfortable theory, but a little roughening is a necessity just the same, quite as much in the case of cities as in the case of individuals.

Calgary and Edmonton Presbyteries Divided

St. John, N. B., June 8th.—In the Presbyterian general assembly overtures asking for a division of the presbyteries of Calgary and Edmonton were read. Dr. Herdman explained that each of these presbyteries was too large and should be divided.

The presbytery of Edmonton asked to be divided into Edmonton and Red Deer and the Calgary presbytery into Calgary and Macleod.

Dr. Herdman moved that the division be agreed to and the motion passed. The assembly meets next year in Kingston.

Police for Hudson's Bay

Regina, Assa., June 8th.—To-morrow a contingent of 120 members of the North West Mounted Police will leave here for Hudson's Bay, going by way of Montreal. They are going to strengthen the contingent sent up there last year. It having been found that there was an unexpectedly large amount of work for them to do up there. They will engage for two years' service. Inspector Ritchie will command.

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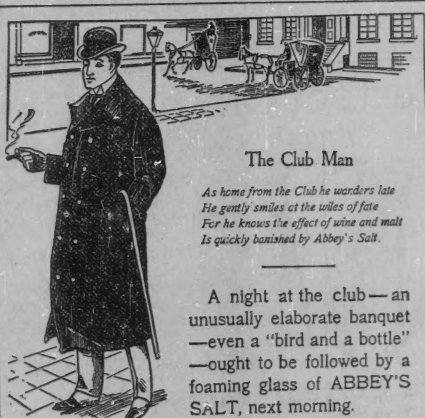
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LOCAL

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—The rain fell since yesterday noon was 11-2 inches.

—There will be no morning service in the Methodist church tomorrow.

—Reports from all parts of the country indicate that crop conditions are most promising.

—The Directors of the Exhibition meet at 8 o'clock this evening in the office of the Secretary.

—Maloney's Wedding Co. appear in Robertson Hall on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week.

—The League schedule includes a baseball game between Edmonton and Red Deer at Edmonton on Wednesday.

—The Strathcona and Edmonton Junior baseball teams played on the fair grounds Thursday evening. The score was 13 to 7 in favor of Edmonton.

—"From Shepherd's Crook to Scipio" will be the subject of Pastor McDonald's address on Sunday evening at the Baptist Church.

—C. W. Mathers secured an excellent photograph of Wednesday's train at the bridge. The special car which brought in the Manitoba delegates was attached to this train—the first pullman to cross the Saskatchewan.

—The advertisement appears in today's issue of the Bulletin of a by-law providing for the raising of \$8,000 to purchase a nuisance ground and gravel pits. Voting takes place on July 4th.

PERS NAL

J. A. Smart came in from Calgary on Thursday evening.

P. J. Dalley of the Maloney's Wedding Co. is in town.

W. Rae, teacher at Astleyville, was in town yesterday.

Mr. J. A. and Miss Anderson left this morning for Quebec, called away by the serious illness of their father there.

Percy Hardisty left this morning for England on a two weeks' visit.

D. H. Lent, of Mewasin, is in town today.

Rev. J. Matheson, of Union Lake, is in town for supplies for the school there.

J. A. McPherson reached home Thursday after a three months' visit to Scotland.

J. Curry, who has pitched for the local ball team during the spring, has gone to Wetaskiwin.

Rev. A. Chisholm the newly elected Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge was taken to the public hospital yesterday having been taken suddenly ill.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

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P. S. Pavett, Town.
H. T. Smith, Shoto Lake.
A. G. Barnett, Winterburn.
O. Huat, Town.
W. McKelney, P. Binkey Jr., A. Shary, Ponoka.

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D. N. McLean.
A. M. Sutherland.
A. W. M. Campbell, Ft. Sask.
M. McLeod, Lacombe.
E. O. Denison, B. B. Sommerville, Town.
J. McLeod, Strathcona.
J. G. Brown, Lac Ste. Anne.
R. C. Bauer, Wetaskiwin.
P. W. Schwartz, Toronto.
P. J. Dalley, Calgary.

WINDSOR:

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J. M. Hamilton, T. Parkinson, Vancouver.
J. P. Minnikick, W. T. Thompson, J. Trotter, Calgary.
E. Holbrook, J. Cheppell, Montana.
Bernard Besser, A. P. Skalicky, Minnesota.

NEW COAL MINE

J. Cameron has had a gang of men working for several days opening up a coal mine on his lots in the east end of the town. A shaft has been driven in from the face of the bank about 10 feet below the level of the ground and a vein of good coal laid bare, apparently the same vein from which Messrs. Moran and Humphreys formerly secured coal in their mines below the Mill. Sheds are now being erected and screens and a track put in. The coal will probably be ready for delivery next week.

WARDEN SCHOOL

Following is the report of the above school for the month of May:
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Standard IV.—Willie Sch.
Standard III.—Dora Sol, Herman Macdu, May Witherspoon, Eva Dannhauer, Joe Kieven.
Standard II.—Mabel Kieven, Cella Sleh, Ida Kieven, Chester Burger, Elsie Burger, Louis Barron.
Standard Pt. II.—Carl Madu, Carrie Eyjén, Ida Eyjén.
Standard Pt. I.—Lulu Burger, Maud Madu, Anna Pow, Willie Alexander, Tilly Kieven.

JENNIE LITTLE,
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PROBS

Rain has fallen throughout the Territories and Manitoba, and in many localities it has been heavy. The weather has turned decidedly cool in Alberta and Assiniboia, with strong westerly winds. The outlook is for continued unsettled conditions with strong westerly winds. The outlook is for continued unsettled conditions with occasional showers in "W" districts. The cool wave now moving from the west is unlikely to be very pronounced in Manitoba.

THE WEATHER

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BERNIER.—At Edmonton General Hospital on Thursday, June 7th, Albert Bernier, aged 62 years.

McDONALD.—At Edmonton General Hospital on Friday, June 10th, Robert McDonald, aged 26 years. Deceased was an ex-member of the N.W.M.P.

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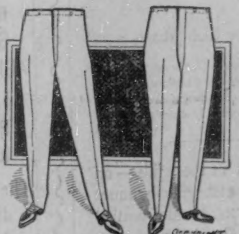
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